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VISITORS AT ST. LOUIS HOTELS.

C. C. Waller of Dallas, Tex., is registered at the Planters.
 D. J. McDonald of Kansas City, Mo., spent yesterday at the Southern.

-Mr. and Mrs. Paul N. Thompson of Se-attle, Wash., are at the Moser.

-M. H. Lehman of St. Joseph, Mo., is on the guest list at the St. Nicholas.

Bert P. McFall of New York was at the Moser yesterday.
 N. M. Harrison of Indianapolis, Ind., is registered at the Planters.

-Mrs. Ella H. Alsop of New Franklin, Mo., is a guest at the Southern. -W. P. Pearsall of Little Rock, Ark., has rooms at the New St. James.

-Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Deane of Cape Girar-deau, Mo., are at the Laclede.

-A. Schlossmacher of Seattle, Wash., is registered at the St. Nicholas.

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J. E. Jones of Elwood, Ind., was at the Lindell yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Johnson of San Francisco, Cal., are at the Planters.

—B. F. McDonaid of Fort Scott, Kas., has rooms at the Southern.

-Mrs. P. McGraw and Miss Alice Mc-Graw of Chicago, Ill., are at the New St.

— La Whitley of Sloux City, Ia., spent yesterday at the Laclede.

—B. E. Churchill of Fort Worth, Tex., is a guest at the landell.

—Mrs. Jennie Williams of Cape Girardeau, Mo., is on the guest list at the St. Nicholas.

Be Careful of Your Eves.

Our optical department is for the express

purpose of testing the eyes properly. We fit

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MAY HAVE TWO RAILROADS.

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Lines Survey Stone County.

Hartville, Mo., Feb. 2.-Stone County, Mis-

souri, has prospects of soon having two

White River lines. Land is bringing high

The Dixle Flyer

FOR LARGE BUSINESS HOUSES.

Baumhoff Authorized to Employ

Special Collecting Wagons.

Washington, Feb. 2.-Postmaster Baum-

hoff visited the Post-Office Department to-day and secured an innovation in the collec-

Discussing Club Meeting.

At the meeting of the Men's Discussion Club, to take place to-night, the subject to be discussed will be "The Problem of the Municipal Ownership of Street Missions."
The speakers will be John F. Sheoley, George C. Hitchcock, Paul F. Coster, Thomas C. Henning, Joseph Wheeles, Thomas G. Scott and H. L Canfield.

Weak and sickly women who are ex-ceedingly nervous and irritable, and who

sleep very poorly, have no appetite, and who sleep very poorly, have no appetite, and are sometimes overcome by headache and dizziness, will find a few doses of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters very beneficial. It will stimulate and strengthen the weak system, restore the appetite and promote sound sleep. The most delicate system can retain it. Don't fall to try if. It will do no most of the system can retain it.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL

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Broadway and Locust.

SCHOONER'S CREW ALARMED. Left Vessel Which Was Afterward Found Intact.

Philadelphia, Feb. 2.—The steamship Grecian, which arrived here to-day from Boston, has on board Captain Blake and the crew of ten men of the schooner Lyman N. Law, Norfolk, for Boston. The Law was thendoned January 21 eight miles southeast of Highland.

of Highland.

It is believed the schooner's crew became
larmed on account of a leak and selzed the
lirst opportunity of rescue offered them.
The Law was found by the crew of the
lamot Life Saying Station yesterday at anlor four miles off their station, apparently
a good condition.

Woman Kills Herself.

McKinney. Tex., Feb. 2.—Mrs. A. J. Jack-ion committed suicide by shooting herself with a shotgun. No reason is known for



Everything is uncertain. Why, one-half of "life" is

You want to have a \$35 MacCarthy-Evans suit or overcoat made for \$28, or a pair of our \$9 trousers for \$7.50. You think you'll to-morrow.

Better do it now. Maybe you won't have time tomorrow. This is the last week of the Get-Busy Sale. Just four more days left. Offer ends Saturday

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When you want the best shirts your dealer has, ask for the Cluett-Peabody kind. He's pleased to sell them because you'll be glad to wear them. Cheet Shirts \$1.50 up

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CITY ITEMS.

Takes the people of the CRAWFORD ORE to get up a sale at any time they feel to doing it that fetches the town!! You will so no sign of the faker's finger-marks on sir bargain-giving, and as to their prestation in their show windows of the goods tale this great and grand store is simply lies ahead of all competition!! Just notice windows making the White Goods show this week; they are simply marvelously surface and attractive!!

### SULTAN BRIBED PRETENDER'S MEN

With Their Aid He was Enabled to Conquer Bu Hamara in a Stubborn Battle.

Minister of War Pursues Them With Artillery and Hopes to Effect the Death or Capture of Their Leader.

Tangler, Morocco, Feb. 2.-The details of the Sultan's victory Thursday over the forces of the pretender show that the battle was stubbornly contested and that the former's success was largely due to the cooperation at a critical moment of the Beni Oureins tribe, whose defection from the rebels the Sultan had previously purchased.

The Sultan's artillery, which was com-manded by the Minister of War, El Men-ebhi, consisted of eight Maxims and four

ebhl, consisted of tight massive at Krupps.

The Sultan's troops opened the attack early in the morning and shortly afterwards the pretender's camp was assalled in the rear by the Benl Oureins.

In spite of the surprise and disadvantage of position the rebels stubbornly maintained their ground and desperate fighting continued for three hours. The slaughter was very great.

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The remnants of the rebel army then broke, abandoned the camp and fled in the direction of Taza. The imperial troops are pursuing, and if Bu Hamara is not among the slain his capture is confidently expected. El Menebhi is pushing on toward Taza with the object of entirely crushing the rebellion and punishing the disloyal tribes. He reports that he found the rebels much more numerous than expected, but that he captured all their war munitions.

There is great rejoicing at Fez as a result of the Sultan's victory.

WHAM ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY.

Desires to Be Department Commander of Illinois G. A. R.

spent yesterday at the Southern.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Preston of Mound
City, Kas. are at the New St. James.

—Archie R. Cox of Xenis, Mo., is stopping at the Laclede.

—H. G. Egelhoff of Memphis, Tenn., is on the guest list at the St. Nicholas.

—W. F. Everts of New Orleans, La., has rooms at the Lindell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Paul N. Theorem. REPUBLIC SPECIAL, Salem, Ill., Feb. 2.—Major Joseph W Wham of this city has announced himself as a candidate for department commander

as a candidate for department commander of the G. A. R. of Illinois. The election will be held at the annual State encampment meeting, to be held at East St. Louis, on May 5, 6 and 7.

Major Wham was a member of Grant's old regiment, the Twenty-first Illinois, and served through the war of the rebellion. After the war he was a Paymaster of the United States Army for twenty years. He has been an active member of the G. A. R. for forty years, and as an orator has gained considerable distinction in G. A. R. circles. attle, Wash., are at the Moser.

-Henry L. Harrington of Atianta, Ga., was at Horn's yesterday.

-H. D. McDonald of Paris, Tex., is registered at the Planters.

-J. F. Overfield of Independence, Kas., has rooms at the Southern.

-Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Owen of Winters, Cal., are at the New St. James.

-E. E. Swink of Farmington, Mo., is a guest at the Lackede.

-M. H. Lehman of St. Joseph, Mo. is on J. Edgar Grace of Spartanburg, S. C., is registered at the Lindell.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mercer of Montreal, Canada, are at Horn's.

SLOT MACHINES ARE BARRED. Mayor of Evansville Drives Out Gambling Devices.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Evansyille, Ind., Feb. 2.—The nickel-inthe-slot machines in this city have been 
taken out and policy has been stopped. For 
several months the slot machines have been 
running without police interference and policy has been openly played.

Mayor Covert was asked several times to 
stop these forms of gambling, but not until 
last night did he make up his mind to stop 
the gamling, and accordingly gave instructions to the police. There were more than 
20 slot machines in the city and it is said 
their owners reaped a harvest.

It is understood the machines will be 
shipped to neighboring cities. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

DRAINAGE CANAL CASE SET. Taking of Testimony Will Begin in Supreme Court March 1.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Feb. 2.—On motion of Attorney W. M. Springer, the United States Supreme Court to-day modified its former order concerning the taking of testimony in the Chicago Drainage-Canal case, so as to provide that the taking of testimony shall begin on the 1st of March and conclude August 1.

The first order was that the taking of testimony should have begun December 1, but this was prevented by the illness of the Attorney General of Missouri. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

DIPLOMAS FOR MIDSHIPMEN.

Several Annapolis Students From Southwest Become Officers.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Washington, Feb. 2—Among the midshipmen of the Naval Academy who received diplomas as officers to-day at Annapolis were the following: S. M. Robinson,
Dublin, Tex.; F. H. Poteet, Sedalis, Mo.;
C. C. Moses, Girard, Ala.; S. C. Loomis,
Sycamore, Ill.; L. H. Lacey, Palestine,
Tex.; J. D. Wilson, Fort Wayne, Ind.; J.
S. Arwine, Columbia, Ind.; T. H. Taylor,
Como, Miss.; F. H. Sadler, Sheffield, Ala.;
B. Y. Rhodes, West Point, Miss.; D. T.
Ghent, Belton, Tex.

White River lines. Land is bringing high prices, and many deals are being made daily in that section.

The point of intersection will probably be Galena, the county seat. Chief Engineer Rohwer of the Missouri Pacific was in that county last week, going over the proposed line. The country is mountainous, and many bridges and several tunnels will have to be constructed.

One tunnel, at the head of Turkey Creek. Arkansas, will be not less than 2006 feet long. The bridge crossing White River, in Taney County, Missouri, at the mouth of Turkey Creek, will be 1,000 feet long and seventy-five feet above low-water mark. The country abounds in fine scenery. Musical at Loretto Seminary. Last week the St. Cecilla's Club of Lorette Seminary, Webster, gave a Verdi recital At the close of the programme a luncheor was served by Superior Sister M. Flaget. Following is the programme for Wednes-day evening, February 4:

day evening, February 4:

Overture—Tancredi
Misses Minnie Hart, Maggie Butler, Clementine
Misses Minnie Hart, Maggie Butler, Clementine
Hart, Anna Horine violin.

Gavotte Miss Lucy Schulz
Twittering of the Birds. Miss Lucy Schulz
Twittering of the Birds. Miss Lacy Schulz
Twittering of the Birds. Miss Lacy Schulz
Twittering of the Birds. Miss Hartyne Byrnes
Grand Duo,
Misses Maggie Butler, Anna Horine
Biography of Rossini. St. Cecilla's Members
Scoond Masurita. Miss Marie Winner
His Barbiere di Siviglia. Miss Mary Cahlii
Otello Miss Camilla Scanlan
Polish Dance. Miss Irene Re d
Alpine Glow Miss Edna Hacker
Ideal Club. Is a "year-round" train to the Southeast, carrying a sleeping car from St. Louis to Jacksonville, Florida, via Nashville, Chattanooxa and Atlanta, every day. Particulars at Illinois Central Ticket Office, 368 North Broadway.

A Moderate-Priced Diamond Ring. It is our endeavor to crowd as much value for the money into our one-hundred-dollar diamond ring as is possible. We show a very fine assortment of new mounted gems at this moderate price which are

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day and secured an innovation in the collection of letters, circulars and so forth, from the large business houses. This is a special waron to collect out-going mail. At present the only waron collections are made from street-letter boxes. These are used only by the occasions writer, who deposits mail in small quantities, while the large firms, which have more than a street box will hold, have to take their own mail to the Post Office.

The waron will be for the accommodation of the latter calls, and will be put in operation February 15, St. Louis is the first city to get facilities of this kind. At the annual meeting of the Mississippl Valley Trust Company stockholders seven directors, whose terms expired, were reelected for a new term of three years. They are: Julius S. Walsh. Breckinridge Jones, William F. Nolker, Moses Rumsey, Joseph Ramsey, Jr., Elmer B. Adams and H. Clay Pierce. Next Tuesday the Board of Directors will meet for the purpose of electing officers. No changes whatever are anticipated in the personnel of the officers.

H. A. Hesse, Tailor, 617 Pine street, says: "It's in the make.

Trying to Get Part of the Estate. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 2.—A. J. Chaney, an aged soldier of Owensville, Ind., is trying to get a share of the estate of Leonard Case at Cleveland, O., valued at \$80,000,000. The father of Case was the grandfather of the father of Chaney. Case died about fifteen years ago. He was one of the wealthiest citizens of Cleveland.

Charged With Theft of Cheeks. John Johnson, a negro, was arrested at Eighth and Locust streets yesterday afternoon by Special Officer Dwyer on a charge of stealing two checks amounting to \$15.55, payable to M. Redding and signed by the St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company. Redding is the foreman of a steel gang employed by the railroad company.

Bayers-Verein Masquerade, The St. Louis Bayern-Verein will give a masquerade ball next Saturday night at Lamp's Hall. Thirteenth and Utah streets. The ball is to be given under the auspices of the Bayarian Society. A special feature of the programme will be the "Discovery of the North Programme will be the "Discovery of th

## PROPERTY OF BANKRUPT LIABLE TO TAXATION

United States Court of Appeals Holds That State May Levy on Assets in Liquidation.

REBELS ARE IN FULL FLIGHT. FEDERAL STATUTE IS DEFINED.

Judge Caldwell, Who Rendered Opinion, Says That Congress Had No Intention of Making Exemption.

In an opinion handed down by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals yesterday, Judge Caldwell, who wrote the opinion, held that property of a bankrupt, in the custody of a trustee, is not exempt from State tax-

ation.

The case was that of Sol L. Swarts, trustee for the Siegel-Hillman Dry Goods Company, appellant, versus L. F. Hammer, Collector of the City of St. Louis. Swarts,

Company, appellant, versus L. F. Hammer, Collector of the City of St. Louis. Swarts, as trustee for the bankrupt firm, had in his possession \$58,30 of the firm's property, which was assessed against, and the taxes on which he refused to pay, claiming that under the bankruptcy law it was exempt. The Circuit Court held that it, was not and rendered a judgment against him for the amount claimed.

In reviewing the case, Judge Caldwell said that Congress, in passing the bankruptcy act, had not attempted to exempt from State taxation any property of a bankrupt in the possession of a trustee. The power of taxation is a purely legislative, not a judicial function, and no bankrupt court has any more right than any other court to exempt from State taxation property of a bankrupt in the bands of an officer of the court which is liable to taxation.

"It is a grave mistake to suppose," the opinion says, "that property in the hands of an officer of a Federal court is exempt from taxation by reason of that simple fact alone."

The judgment of the lower court is affirmed.
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National Surety Company of New York and
National Surety Company of Missouri vs. The
State Sank of Humboldt, Neb., and the State
Auditor; reversed and remanded, with Instructions to return a verdict for plaintiff.
Edward Mulligan vs. the United States of
America; affirmed.
Marshall Field & Co., vs. Wolf & Bro, Dry
Goods Company; appeal from approval of settlement of bankrapt estate by lower court dismissed. advand.

In P. R. W. Irvin, trustee; petition to review judgment finding property of bankruptcy a homestead; dismissed and judgment affirmed.

Consumers' Cotton Oil Co. vs. Wolf Nichol, administrator of Joe Dante; appeal dismissed.

REPLIES TO THE GRAND JURY.

Sheriff Says Tax Collection Costs Exceed Value of Goods.

Sheriff Joseph F. Dickmann said yesterday, in regard to the action of the Grand Jury in criticising his office for not being more severe in collecting on executions issued in suits brought by the Collector for personal taxes, that if the Grand Jury had sent for him he would have given an explanation which would have avoided the criticism.

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It is the duty of the plaintiff to furnish him in writing a description of the property to be levied upon, and to deposit a sufficient amount for the costs of executing the writs. This has not been done, he says, in the \$29,000, or more, which was collected by him on back-tax executions. The taxes were collected without any cost to the plaintiff or State.

To levy an execution the costs, in many instances, he says, would amount to more than would be realized from the sale of the property. The costs are \$45 for the pay of a man to watch the goods for fifteen days and nights and \$7.50 for advertising. It would be throwing good money after bad, he says.

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Evansville, Ind., Feb. 2.—Miss Letitia Galliher, who is considered one of the prettiest
young ladies of this city, departed to-day
for Indianapolis to lobby in behalf of a certain measure in the State Legislature. She
will be a unique figure at the State capital.
A few days ago Representative Adolph F.
Decker of this county introduced a measure
in the House to appropriate \$100 for the education of each deaf child in the State in
the public schools.
Until two years ago the school for the
deaf children was maintained by the School
Board of this city. It was abolished on the
plea that there was no law for such a
school. Another school was started by private charity, and it is conducted by the
father of Miss Galliher. Miss Galliher acts
as assistant.
The young woman says she feels confident the bill of Representative Decker will
become a law. "I will see every lawmaker
at the State capital," said Miss Galliher. "I
know they will not refuse to do something
for a little girl like me."

ASK THAT LAW BE MODIFIED. St. Louis Dairy Company Takes

Exceptions to Milk Bill.

The St. Louis Dairy Company has requested the Board of Health to grant it a hearing to show cause why the temperature clause of the milk law should not be inforced. enforced.

The dairy people claim, if they are compelled to keep their milk at the regulation temperature of 50 degrees, they will have to raise the price of milk. The board decided to grant the hearing next Mondar, but instructed the secretary to rotify the dairy company that the board had no authority to ignore the law, and that if an amended ordinance were required the Municipal Assembly would be the only body having the power to adopt it.

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it with our expert watchmakers. Charges very reasonable. MERMOD & JACCARD'S, Broadway, cor, Locust.

DIRECTORS ARE ELECTED. Portland Mining Company Holds

Meeting at Council Bluffs.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Feb. 2.—At the annual meeting of the Portland Mining Company in this city to-day, the following directors were elected: James S. Burns, T. F. Burns, R. C. Shannon, Irving Howbert and E. G. Peck. All are old directors, except Mr. Shannon, who succeeds the late W. S. Stratton.

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The financial statement showed that for the eight years from April, 1894, to December 31, 1892, 275,496 tons of ore were mined of a value of \$15,472,549. For the year ended December 31 the receipts were \$55,018, expenses, including dividends of \$270,000 and amounts paid for new cialms, was \$500,500.

The new officers will be elected at a meeting to be held at Colorado Springs later.

Proper Society Stationery. For wedding invitations and other society appenings Mermod & Jaccard's (Broadway and Locust) are the recognized authority for fine printing and engraving; 100 best calling cards and engraved copper plate for \$1.50, or 100 printed from your own plate for \$1.00.

Lone Star Post Office Robbed. Post Office Inspector Dice yesterday re-ceived word that the general store used as a Post Office at Lone Star, Gentry County, Mo. had been entered by thieves, who se-cured 57 of the Government's money and property of the storekeeper.

The Executive Board of the Sanitary Committee of the Civic Improvement League will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon at No.

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Other pieces "Dauphin" pattern at proportionate price.

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TABLE KNIVES—Set of six— \$1.75, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$4.00 up to \$6.00 BAKING DISHES—Each— \$3.00, \$3.75, \$4.50, \$5.00 up to \$45.00

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Mail orders conscientiously filled the same day as received.

### THOUGHT THEY WERE MARRIED Frank James Did Not Know Cere-

mony Was Necessary.

Belleving that a marriage license united them in wedlock, Frank James and Lulu Davis of St. Louis have been living to-gether as man and wife since February 6.

gether as man and wife since February 6, 1902.

Recently James read in The Republic that the St. Louis County Grand Jury had recommended that an investigation be made of the unreturned marriage licenses and was surprised to find his name among the list of those who had not been heard from Yesterday he went to Clayton to seek an explanation from Recorder Wetzel.

"Here my name is among this list." he said, "and you know that you married me."

"You are mistaken," said Wetzel, "I simply issued you a license."

"But you made us hold up our hands and swear. Weren't we married then?"

"You were not," was the answer.

James said he would rectify the error. Mr. Wetzel explained that he would have to get a new license, as the time limit of three months on the one he issued had expired. There are twenty-five couples who have failed to m. ke returns on their marriage licenses during the last year and the officials are wondering if they all made the mistake of supposing a marriage license was the same as a marriage certificate.

"Got a Headachet" Two Orangeine Powders, 2) minutes apart, will surely drive it away.

ONLY ELEVEN RESPONDED.

Not Enough Men to Impanel February Grand Jury.

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EVANSVILLE GIRL WILL LOBBY.

Miss Galliher Desires to Get Bill

Through Legislature.

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Broadway, cor. Locust. SWITCHMAN'S LEG CUT OFF. Charles Freese Dragged Under En-

gine by a Switch Frog. Charles Freese's left leg was ground off between the ankle and knee yesterday morning by Wabash switch engine No. 223. Freese was employed as a switchman by the Wabash. He lives at No. 1104 Montgom-ery street.

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Freeze was switching cars in the yards
at Luther Station. His foot caught in a
frog just as he was about to swing on to
the engine. He was dragged beneath the
engine. The wheels passed over the leg
and crushed it into a puip.

Freese was placed in a car and conveyed
to Second street and St. Louis avenue,
where an ambulance was in waiting.
Thence he was conveyed to St. Mary's
Infirmary, where it was found necessary to
amputate the leg.

February Gem-Amethyst-Content ment.

The Amethyst, signifying contentment, i the stone of the month, Ladies' solid gold amethyst set rings, \$2.50 to \$15.00; gentle-MERMOD & JACCARD'S, Broadway and Locust.

FIRST CONCERT OF SEASON.

Miss Felix, the Soprano Soloist, at Entertainment.

The first concert and ball this year by the Liederkranz took place Saturday night at the hall, Thirteenth street and Chouteau

avenue.

Miss Emma Felix, soprano, of Milwaukee, Wis., and Miss Clara Meyer, planist, of St. Louis were the soloists. This was the first appearance of Miss Felix in St. Louis. Her numbers ranged from Gounod's Aria from "The Queen of Sheba" to a light number of DeKoven's composition. Among the numbers rendered was Litz's Hungarian Rhapsodle, Op. 12. Other selections were from Chopin, Sgambatt and Schumann.

Choral numbers were given by the chorous of the society. Miss Johanna E. Kaubwas the soprano in the last number, the wedding chorus from "Der Rose Pilgerjahrt."

### A TEXAS WONDER.

HALL'S GREAT DISCOVERY. One bottle of The Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women; regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of I. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and will cure any case above mentioned. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 623, St. Louis Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists. Office, 2801 Olive street.

READ THIS.

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We have selected these cloths in lengths to make not more than three and many styles only single waist-

it will be fashionable to wear fancy ats of washable cloths, both for business and evening wear, afford-

ing a relief from the monotony of sameness. Select your pattern from the piece and we'll make to order a perfect-

Werner Errov.

At Furnishing Department.

WILL BE BURIED IN VERMONT. Old Resident of St. Louis Died Sunday.

The body of Russell F. Lamb, who died Sunday at his home, No. 5.5 North New-stead avenue, will be shipped to West Brattleboro, Vt., to-day for burial. Mr. Lamb was born in Putney, Vt., August 22, 1898 In 1832 Mr. Lamb departed from Vermont and arrived in St. Louis in 1833, having come by way of Wheeling, W. Va., and Cincinnati by boat, after crossing the moun-Cincinnati by bout, after crissing the mountains in a mail coach.

When he arrived in St. Louis Mr. Lamb secured a situation with Darrah & Pommeroy, commission merchants. During his career in St. Louis he was connected with several business enterprises. The decline in values incidental to the close of the Civil War caused him to retire from business. He then accepted a situation with the American Central Insurance Company and was placing their stock when the great Chicago fire caused them to suspend.

For the last ten years Mr. Lamb was connected with F. D. Hirchberg & Bro., fire insurance agents. He was the pioneer agent for plate-glass insurance in St. Louis.

Mr. Lamb is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lucy J. Lamb.

Candidate for Re-election.

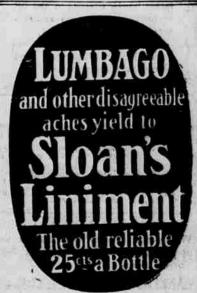
REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 2.—The Letitia.
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Green Stevenson Chapter of the Daughters
of the American Revolution in this city
has sent out notices of the candidacy of
Mrs. M. T. Scott of Bloomington for reelection to the position of vice president
general of the national organization. She
was elected two years ago, and it has been
customary to allow two terms. The State
meeting, recently held in Springfield, indorsed Mrs. Scott for re-election. Mrs.
Scott's efforts in behalf of the preservation
of Old Fort Massac have attracted national
attention. She has been one of the leading
spirits in the efforts to preserve this relio
of the past, located on the banks of the
Ohio, mar the city of Metropolis, Ill.

Curtew Association to Meet. A meeting in the interest of the Curfew Association will be held in the pariors of the Y. M. C. A., Grand and Franklin ave-nues, this evening at 8 o'clock. Committees from churches and pastors are requested to COAL EXCHANGE IS DISSOLVED. Indianapolis Combine Feared

Grand Jury Investigation.

Indianapolis. Feb. 2.—The Indianapolis Coal Exchange, which has been investigated by the Grand Jury dissolved to-day. A second Grand Jury investigation, which threatened to result seriously for the members, had been ordered.

It was charged that the exchange which comprised nearly all the large retailers in the city, made it impossible for the independent dealers to buy coal and also that the organization controlled local prices.



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